

Bedtime Story For the Little Ones

UNCLE WIGGLY AND THE PEAS.
BY HOWARD R. GARIS.

"Did you ever hear about Jimmie Wigglesworth, the duck boy?" asked Nurse Jane, the muscular lady housekeeper, one day as she went out on the front porch of the hollow stump farm house, where Uncle Wiggly Longears, the nice rabbit gentleman was twinkling his pink nose.

"Hear about Jimmie?" asked the bunny uncle. "No, I did not. What's the matter with him?"

"Why, he has the measles, and can't be out to play with the other animal children," went on Nurse Jane.

"Oh, that's too bad!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggly. "He must be quite sad and lonesome all by himself, in the pen house. I think I'll go over to see him."

"I would," spoke Nurse Jane. "He'll be glad to see you, and it will cheer him up. You've had the measles, you know, so you can't get them again. It's no, indeed," laughed the rabbit gentleman.

So putting on his fur coat—Oh, no, hold on a moment, if you please, this was summer, and he didn't wear a fur coat in summer. I mean putting on his straw hat, Uncle Wiggly started off across the fields of his farm and through the wood to go and cheer up Jimmie, the duck boy.

"Well, you certainly have the measles!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggly, as he saw the little Wigglesworth duck chap with his face as red as a boiled lobster. "How do you feel?"

"Not very well," answered Jimmie, and like and unhappy. "I want to play but I have some fun, but I can't. I don't feel like going out, but I want to do something."

"What do you want to do?" asked Uncle Wiggly.

"Shoot a pogram," answered Jimmie. "Oh, if I only had a pogram I'm sure I'd be very happy, even with the measles!"

"Say no more," cried Uncle Wiggly in his most jolly voice. "A pogram you shall have."

"How?" asked Jimmie, hopeful like.

"I'll go to the store and get it," went on the bunny uncle.

So off he started through the woods and over the fields until he came to the pogram store.

"One of your best shooters for Jimmie Wigglesworth," called Uncle Wiggly to the monkey doodle gentleman behind the counter, and a little later Uncle Wiggly was on his way back to the duck boy's house with the pogram, which was striped red, white and blue, like the rabbit gentleman's bar pole crutch that Nurse Jane had given for him out of a cornstalk.

"I'll go through the field where a green peas are growing," thought Mr. Longears as he hopped on toward his pen house. They must be nearly large enough to eat now."

He was hopping along between the rows of the green peas, thinking how nice it was to own a farm, and how happy Jimmie, the duck boy, would be when he could play with his pogram in the field.

Down toward the end of the patch of peas, the rabbit gentleman saw the tall-pulling chimpanzee monkey.

"Ah, ha!" thought Uncle Wiggly. "It's a good thing I saw him first. Now I can just run back the other way and he can't get me."

The bunny man started to run back.

But, looking at the second end of the row of peas, he saw the ear-scratching cat sitting there, sort of picking her teeth with her claws.

"Oh, dear!" cried Uncle Wiggly, his pink nose twinkling faster than an ice cream cone melts on a hot day. "Oh, dear! This is serious."

"Here he is!" cried the tall-pulling monkey, pointing at Mr. Longears.

"I see him," answered the ear-scratching cat. "He can't get past at your end of the row; can he?"

"No, indeed," answered the chimpanzee monkey. "Can he run past you?"

"If he does I'll grab him," growled the cat. "We surely have caught him this time."

"I believe they have," sadly thought Uncle Wiggly. "I can't get away. If I try to jump over the rows of peas my legs will get all tangled. I'll fall, and they will catch me anyhow. Oh, if I could only drive them away! But how can I do it?"

Then all of a sudden, he thought of the pogram he had bought for Jimmie. "If only I had some bullets to shoot in that gun at the cat and the monkey, I could drive them away," said Uncle Wiggly to himself. "But I did not remember about bullets!"

Then, as the cat and monkey were coming nearer and nearer to him, he remembered the milk for breakfast, the next story will be about Uncle Wiggly and the pogram.

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The Daily Novelette

AT THE ELEVENTH HOUR.

—It's all right to be slow but sure, but many a man has missed his train that way.—Prof. Slap.

(Synopsis of preceding chapters.) Rudolph Sitarth is a bona captain of finance. He started to keep a little pig bank when he was a month old, and at the age of 4 he controlled all the marbles and cigar cards in the neighborhood.

The day before his father died, he brought home his seat in the stock exchange and gave it to Rudolph, whose meteoric career across the financial sky dated from that day.

In startling succession he manipulated corners in oats, cardboard, Jimson weed, poker chips, cocoa, radishes, and other necessities of life, beating at their own game such giants of finance as Murgeloom, Cleveland, Babot, and Steetz. These powers of Wall Street finally combine in self-defense to crush Sitarth.

Rudolph puts up a game fight, but by unorthodox methods, such as disguising himself as a lambs on the floor of the exchange and hiring thugs to puncture certain watered stocks of Sitarth's, they finally reduce him to penury, when he is down to his last penny he receives a letter from the British secretary of munitions.

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He tore it open and read: "Dear Sir: We have on hand your offer to supply munitions for the English army, and hereby instruct you to ship us 57 double-X cannon balls."

"Saved! Saved!" cried Sitarth, as he hurriedly made out a bill for nine million dollars and twenty-six cents.

(The end.)

HOROSCOPE.

Saturday, June 16, 1916.

THIS is a fortunate day, according to astrology. Neptune, Mars, Jupiter and Mercury are all in benefic aspect.

It is a favorable rule under which to visit friends. The stars are supposed to render men and women kindly and responsive.

Buying and speculating have an encouraging sign that presages gain, but warning is given of a sudden drop in stocks, at an early date.

Mars is in a place read as favorable to our soldiers and to our army, but a clash between citizens and military is foreshadowed for next month.

According to ancient lore this rule should be most favorable for dealing with livestock, buying, selling and transportation being well directed.

Lumbermen and carpenters have the best direction. Extreme activity and much profit are indicated.

The stars forecast work for structural iron workers, machinists, millmen and hardware dealers.

New inventions for railway trains are prophesied. These will alter conditions to an astonishing extent, the stars predict.

This is another promising day for publishers and advertisers.

Journeys are fortunately directed.

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness and head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can usually be successfully treated at home by an internal medicine that has many instances has effected complete relief after other treatments have failed.

Sufferers who could scarcely hear a watch tick can tell how they have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of the watch is plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear. Therefore, if you know of someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrhal deafness, cut out this formula and hand it to them and you will have been the means of saving some poor sufferer from perhaps total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Parmitin (Double strength), about 75 cents worth. Take this home and add to it 1 pint of hot water and 1 oz. of granulated sugar, stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

Parmitin in used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are nearly always quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in any form should give this recipe a trial and free themselves from this distressing disease.—Advertisement.

VACATION DAYS

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By DWIG



Beauty Chats

By Edna Kent Forbes

Constructive Beauty Hints

SOMETIMES I THINK the woman, as well as the house, needs a semi-annual overhauling. Doubtless the reader with very feminine and delicate instincts will decide that this is a



A good time to start making yourself more beautiful is right now

crude procedure—but, after thinking a moment, she will decide that it is true.

She need not keep her whole mind on her looks, in order to be beautiful. She need not devote most of her time to the pursuit of good looks. But every once in awhile, if she has the time, she should take several

days, or a week, and simply start at the foundations, and beautify herself.

Houses do not need the semi-annual bearing up called housecleaning except to this extent—that the change from hot to cold or cold to hot weather means the changing of curtains and portieres and carpets, the cleaning up after the furnace is out, or started. Some extra work is needed in even the best-tended houses. So with the woman. She may keep herself in excellent condition—but at the beginning of summer, and the start of winter, she should take extra care of her looks.

For one reason, the blood thin for her weather, and thicken for cold. This means slight congestion, possibly pimples, while the rich blood of the winter is thinning, and likely a touch of anemia, late in the fall. At each season, the body is more sensitive to colds and throat troubles and such illnesses, the digestion needs extra care. And it is a good time to put one's self in the pink of condition for the new season.

So, for a few days, we'll run over some of the things one can do, to improve health and looks—things that will not keep a woman before the mirror, fussing over her appearance, to the neglect of other occupations.

Questions and Answers

To J. T. M. G. R. and Anxious: The cold cream recipe will be sent you if you send a self-addressed, stamped envelope. It takes a little time to answer, as letters are opened and answered in the order received, and a great many arrive every mail.

There are too many thick, dark hairs on my legs that I cannot wear white silk stockings, and even, black ones do not compare. The secret is—I want to do barefoot dancing. I can dance very well, even professionally, but am ashamed to appear with these hairs.—Terpsichore.

Reply: For temporary use, a depilatory will help you out—professionals use it when appearing barefoot. Make-up covers a multitude of defects also—however, if you can blend them with persole and persole get good results. Use fresh persole, foil strength.

[Protected by George Matthew Adams]

While this configuration prevails. If a sea voyage is necessary it is an auspicious date to begin it.

There is danger of misunderstanding between England and one of the allies, according to the seers.

Next month should be much better for Russia than previous periods of the war. A system of self government in the future is foreshadowed.

Saturn crossing the ascendant of the Kalmien is an ill omen for mid summer.

SAYS COULD EAT A FRIED HORSE

Milwaukee Lady and Husband Have Regained Their Health From Plant Juice

"There is no virtue in medicine," many people say. Ignorance is the cause of people giving value to such statements. Now, if you will read what people write in regard to Plant Juice, the new herbal system tonic, it will combine the most skeptical.

Plant Juice has been introduced. Its effects are truly marvelous in combatting and eradicating the various symptoms of a disordered stomach. It has taken a firm hold on the public because it relieves, and restores hope and happiness.

The following signed statement from Mrs. May Mend, of No. 6122 Greenfield Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis., speaks for itself. She says:

"I have used your medicine, Plant Juice, for stomach trouble and have received wonderful results from it. I am in a terrible condition. For my food never digested properly, but fermented and formed gas in my stomach. I was nervous, dizzy and all run-down. My husband was in practically the same condition, and I recommended your remedy to him and he is much better now. We both have a splendid appetite, and I feel as if I could eat a horse if it was fried right. We are recommending Plant Juice to all of our friends and are certainly boosters for it."

Such words as these and those of many others that have been printed have a wide influence as they come from people of standing and integrity, who have given Plant Juice a fair trial and have benefited thereby.

Plant Juice is sold in El Paso at Kelly & Pollard's Drug Store.—Adv.

NEWS NOTES FROM MIDLAND

60 DAISY DEAN

Bobby Connolly, who enjoys the distinction of being the highest priced star for his age in the film, says it is lots of fun to act in pictures, but sometimes you get tired and wish you could go to school and play in the afternoon like other children.

Yes, Bobby goes to school, or rather school comes to Bobby, for he has a teacher who comes to the house and teaches him the three Rs and other things. Bobby doesn't think it is much fun as going to school because at school you can have fun while the others are reciting. "When there's only one pupil, you can't fool because teacher can watch you all the time," says Bobby.

When Bobby isn't acting or studying he goes out in the "vacant lot" just like other healthy children and plays ball, marbles and rummy. He and his sister Helen have lots of fun at the "Vita-graph studio in between scenes playing with Gasoline, the studio cat, the white mice and the dog. Yes, and even grizzly bears.

"CIVILIZATION" IS SUPER PLAY

"Civilization," Thomas H. Ince's big spectacular film play, has just been released in New York. The producers describe it as an argument against war. "However," they hasten to add, "it is not against preparedness, but is in the nature of an appeal to the mothers of men."

The spectacle includes pictures of battleships in action. A United States warship fired real projectiles at a ship brought down to date. A boy and girl fought for the purpose, and the powder burned in the several battle scenes cost the producers \$15,000.

EDNA MAYO IN "THE RETURN OF EVE"

"The Return of Eve," in five acts, is the vehicle in which Miss Mayo will next appear in feature productions.

It is the story of the Garden of Eden brought up to date. A boy and girl brought up on a desert island finally taste civilized life. It disgusts them, but when they go back to their island they find that they have eaten of the fruit of the tree of knowledge and their Eden is an Eden no longer. They are banished as effectively as were Adam and Eve by the flaming sword.

Mary Garden, celebrated singer, has been pursued by movie producers since her recent arrival in New York. But she has not been signed a contract. Geraldine Farrar's success in pictures has encouraged producers to hope for a like success in Mary Garden.

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Mrs. Mary Krug and children will leave tomorrow for Chicago and other eastern points.

The travel to California still continues very heavy. The regular Southern Pacific train took out 19 extra cars today.

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McClure rent collections, Lee Newman.—Adv.



Bobby Connolly.

Bobby is only seven years old, but he is a better actor now than many others we are seeing on the screen every day. In his most recent picture, "The Law Decides," he walks off with the honors.

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ALMOST FAINTED WHILE STANDING

And Suffered Dreadfully From Headache, Backache, and Dizziness. Says Now That Women Are Foolish To Suffer And Tells Why.

New Augusta, Miss.—In relating her experience, Miss Irene H. Craft, of this town, says: "I have been troubled for a right smart while with female weakness. I was irregular. . . and was down in bed about all the time. I had chills and fever with these troubles for at least a year, and a great deal of dizziness, headache and backache."

"When I was sick at each month, I had to stay in bed all the time, because my back would ache and my head would swim as if I would almost faint if I stood on my feet."

"I endured this for about three years. Finally, I began to doctor with a doctor. He did not help me much. Then he recommended Cardui, and I began to take it. I took about one bottle and felt much better. I have taken a whole lot now, and feel just all right. I have no backache, headache, or dizziness now."

"I think women are foolish to suffer when they can take so helpful a remedy as Cardui, and I surely praise it to every one."

"If you suffer from any of the ailments so common to women, why not give Cardui a trial?"

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BREAKING OUT ON FACE AND HANDS

Became Solid Eruption. Did Not Dare to Wash Hands. Face Was Awfully Disfigured.

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Be sure to ask for the double strength ointment as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Advertisement.

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